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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jacques Drouin, et al.
Serial No.: 09/319,782
Filed: June 10, 1999
For: NUR-RE A RESPONSE ELEMENT WHICH BINDS
NUR NUCLEAR RECEPTORS AND METHOD OF USE
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Examiner: M. Pak

Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the February 26, 2002 Office Action in the above-identified case, Applicants elect restriction Group I (claims 1 - 38 and 39) without prejudice to the eventual filing of divisional applications on restriction Groups II, III and IV.

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Respectfully submitted,

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